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and in Germany there are schools

where the boy is taught to be right

handed. Nearly all tools are made for

right-handed men, and the boy who

grows up left-handed will be awkward

and it is easy to see both hands alike be

come to advantage in some things, but

it is as if nature intended the

right arm to do most of the work.

A Great Suggestion.

Put things that only a corner of his

arm can reach on a shelf.

"Why would he?"

"Because he is such a jerk."—Holt

WEST BETHEL.

The Local Happenings as Told
By Our Special Reporter.

Naham Scribner and wife of Albany came Monday to visit a few days with Mrs. Scribner's sister, Mrs. E. J. Bell. The many friends of Mrs. Sadie Vashaw will be pleased to learn of the present she received Christmas from her husband's employees. It was a beautiful gold watch and chain, the presentation was made by her husband, T. W. Vashaw Christmas eve. The paper given with the watch showed the following names: R. P. Marshall, Frank Newell, Herbert McArthur, Joseph Wener, Henry Arsenault, Mat. Gallant, Will Arsenault, Joe Hargerson, Alton Sanborn, Dennis Vashaw and Arthur St. Cyr.

E. W. Whittier of Peru has returned to work for Whitten & Dennison in the post card shop.

Whitten & Dennison have had a new engine put into their post card shop.

W. J. Wheeler of South Paris was in town last Wednesday.

Miss Esther Hall was called to her home in Island Pond by the illness of her sister.

Mrs. Stella Goodridge and little daughter, Lillian Lynde, have been visiting friends in Gorham for a week.

J. F. Rollins has returned from a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Flora Davis in East Waterford.

Mrs. Clara Corey is at work for Jacob Thorston.

Mrs. Ada Wilson is staying with Mrs. Alice Ordway.

Wall Bennett is hauling wood for Mr. Dennison from the Glens place on the flat to the hotel.

Mrs. M. J. Scribner is spending a few days with Mrs. Jane Bennett.

William Davis and wife of Waterford are rejoicing over the birth of a son, born January 10th.

Mrs. W. W. Goodridge was in Bethel last Thursday.

Louis Silhouette of New York, representing the Illustrated Post card Co. was in town last Wednesday.

Miss Marion Merrill called on friends in this village last Wednesday.

E. J. Bell was at home over Sunday.

Miss Mabel Scribner was in Bethel last Thursday.

Miss Ethel Stiles of Berlin went to Portland Thursday for an operation on her month.

Dora Thomas went to Bethel one day last week.

Fred Bran of Bethel was in this village last Thursday.

Otis Mason has finished his work for Whitten and Dennison.

Miss Eva Glimes of Bethel was in town last Thursday.

George Bennett was in West Paris last Saturday.

Warren Cookson and Ernest Dickey of Bethel were in town last week.

Mrs. Charlie Dennison gave a poverty party at the hotel last Friday evening which was much enjoyed by all who attended.

L. E. Allen and wife are being visited by a nephew from Massachusetts.

J. P. Rollins and Otis Mason were in Bethel last Friday.

Death of John L. Summers.

The many friends of John Summers will be sorry to learn of his death, which occurred last Thursday at his home where he was employed by George Leighton for whom he has worked most of the time for the past six years. Mr. Summers will be remembered here as having charge of the sawing of the Perry Lumber Co. wood.

He will be much missed by his fellow workers. He leaves a wife and daughter. The remains were taken to his former home in Jefferson, N. H., for burial.

Less, If He Kicked.

Customer: What is the price of the duck?

Little Girl: Please, more, it's three shillings, but mother says, if you grumbled, it's two and six pence.

Same Effect.

Husband: I'd give you the stars when it looks like this morning!

Wife: That wasn't the stars! It was the new girl making the breakfast dishes.—Baltimore American

MARSHALL DISTRICT.

Mrs. Lydia Fernald made us a very pleasant call last Friday.

Alfred Stiles is staying at the Standard at present.

Henry Duggs recently traded off his calf and bought a cow of Frank Gove.

Leah Hession went to Hunt's for one day last week.

Parker Hunt sawed shingles for G. W. Rogers, Wednesday, at Barker and Company's mill.

A. A. Bruce and Miss Kenniston called at G. W. Rogers' recently.

Mrs. McAllister of Stoneham was at Hession's Sunday.

Miss Nina W. Briggs is boarding at J. P. Rogers' and attending school.

Mrs. Lydia Fernald, Mrs. Parker Hunt and Mr. H. Fernald went to Bethel, Friday.

The Harquet Station.

The longest season now is here.

In all its glory.

One hour to rest, and then, O dear, the hours of waiting.



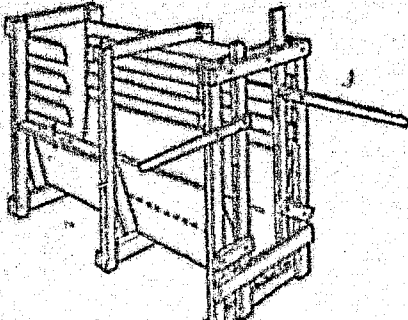
LIVE STOCK.

SERVICEABLE DEHORNING BOX.

It Will Make the Task a Comparatively Easy One.

In spite of the advantages of polled cattle, many breeds having horns continue to be raised. When the precaution is not taken to stop the growth of horn or remove it while the animal is yet a calf, a much more severe and difficult operation remains to be performed. The securing of the animal for the dehorning is accomplished by methods ranging from the awkward and often injurious practice of throwing and tying, to that where a most elaborately constructed chute is used. For the man who is looking for a convenient and simple chute for his own use, one constructed in the following manner will serve his purpose very satisfactorily.

The chute is six feet long, six feet high and three feet wide. The dimensions should correspond as nearly as possible to the average sized animal, because the loss freedom of movement the better.



General Plan of Dehorning Box.

The floor is narrowed to 12 inches, with light, slanting sides up to a height of three feet. Each jaw of the trap is separated by a lever, and may be secured at any place by iron pins in holes bored in the upper front cross-pieces of the frame.

No door at the entrance is needed. When the animal enters, a stout stick is thrust behind him into the cleats on one side of the chute, and used to force him into the proper position and then fastened by dropping a pin into the nearest hole in the specially arranged piece on the other side. Such an arrangement practically does away with all body struggle.

Such a chute, with the front as little obstructed as possible, makes it easier to induce an animal to enter than if otherwise. What head movement it is necessary to subdue after the trap is closed is best accomplished by tying the head down to a rug or other convenient fastening placed at the proper distance.

CARE OF YOUNG STOCK.

Neglect Will Cost You Dearly—Shelter and Feed Well.

The perfection and value of the mature animal depend largely upon the normal, unchecked growth of the young up to maturity. A calf that has once been starved and stunted will never make a large, valuable horse, and a calf that has been so treated will never make a valuable cow. They must grow from birth to maturity without check.

During winter calves and colts need dry, warm stalls with enough feed to keep them growing and in good flesh, even a little fat on them will do no harm. Let them out for exercise in good weather, but shelter them well at night. The better the shelter the more good their feed will do.

Some people allow their colts and calves to remain out in all kinds of winter weather with a straw stack for shelter and straw for an exclusive diet, says the Journal of Agriculture. They come out in the spring skin poor, and require nearly the whole summer to make up the loss of flesh. That does not pay. A young animal that is worth keeping is worth keeping right.

The calf or colt in a warm, well-bedded stall with corn stover or timothy hay and some stover or alfalfa hay and a small daily feed of grain will grow right through the winter and come out in the spring in full vigor for more rapid gains on cheap pasture in summer. Every 100 pounds of extra flesh on the finished horse is worth from ten to fifteen dollars, which is a good price for even concentrated feeds.

The farmer who has the reputation of keeping nothing but fat animals will have the beaten path made to his door by eager buyers.

LIVE STOCK NOTES.

Warm mutton tallow will heat wounds on stock more quickly than turpentine.

Kicking cows and those which jump fences should be held to the butcher. To fatten lambs feed them on barley, alfalfa, root crops and field peas.

Sheep should not be penned in a field inclosed with a barbed-wire fence.

The high price of feed is likely to lead to a low price of farm animals, to be followed in turn by high prices due to decrease in number of animals.

Study the feeding problem; carelessness feeding is now dangerous from the view point of profit.

The good stock is today the animal that makes the gain fast on little feed.

Good stock is one of the factors of a successful agriculture.

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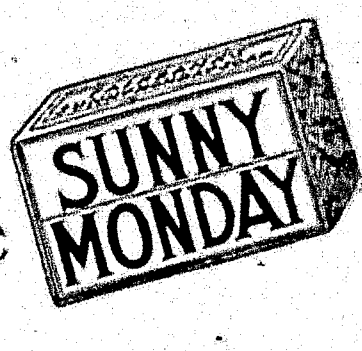
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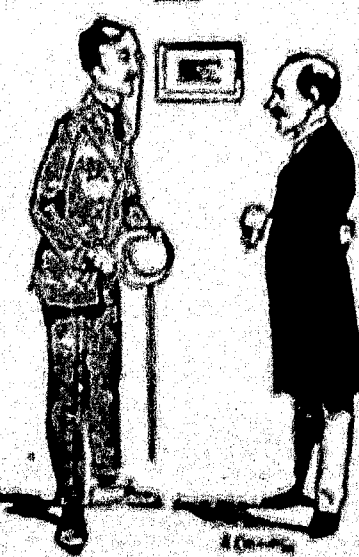
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REPAIRING PROMPTLY DONE.

A FAIR GUESSES.



Alas—I can't make out what is the matter with me, doctor. I can't sleep, have no appetite, and—

Doctor—Why don't you propose to the girl?

"Huh!"

Mrs. McGinty—Sure, my Mary Ann's dressmaker sez she have the finest laces for shawls off an tapestry dress in the neighborhood. Mrs. Flanagan (sarcastically)—Huh! An' is Mary Ann takin' in washin' now—uh?—Judge.

Spelling a Husband. Caller—How perfectly devoted you are to your husband.

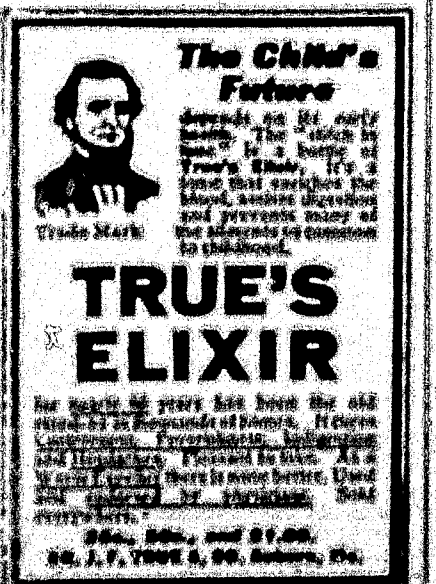
Young Wife—Yes, I am trying to get and spend him, so that if I die, and he marries again, no other woman can live with him.—New York Weekly.

Individual Application. I hope you were in favor of the League.

"Always in favor of League, dear boy. May I see your V?"—Baltimore American.

Journalistic Heights. Identified stranger (at newspaper)—Which of these papers is the most likely respectable?

Newspaper—This one, I guess. No body buys it.—New York Weekly.



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- Men's Kangaroo Blucher, light sole, were \$4.00, now \$3.50.
- Men's Patent Bals., kid lined, heavy soles, \$4.00 Shoe, now \$3.00.
- Men's Patent Blucher, medium sole, regular \$4.00 grade for \$3.00.
- Men's Kid Kid Bals., former price \$3.50, now \$2.50.
- Men's Patent Bals., were \$3.50 now \$2.50.
- Men's Patent Bals., and Bluchers, a mixed lot, regular price \$3.00, now \$2.00.

And For Women We Have the Following

- Men's Sorosis and Eliza, a mixed lot, Polish and Blucher; these have always been \$3.50, now \$2.50.
- Men's Button, Patent and Kid Kid Evangeline, regular price \$3.00, now \$2.00.
- Men's Enamel Polish Evangeline, former price \$3.00, now \$2.00.
- Men's Kid Button and Polish; the regular price on this lot has been \$2.00 and \$2.50, now \$1.50.
- Men's Gun Metal and Patent Pumps, the \$2.50 grade now \$1.50.

The above lines are all clean goods and good style and we have a good assortment of each of them and if you see them you will agree with us that they are bargains.

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NORTH NORWAY.
Mrs. Merrill, the milk tester, was at Wilfred Hervey's the 15th and from there to Ben Tetter's. He comes once a month.
Charles Haskell is getting cut lumber for a new house. His bees are giving him large returns for the care he gives them.
Mrs. Hannah Merrill has gone to Chandler Merrill's in Waterford for a while.
GRAIN AS A WEIGHT
The name "grain" as a weight originated in a curious way. The old English pound was equivalent to "the weight of 7000 grains of wheat taken from the middle of the ear." This given 480 to each of the 16 ounces of which the pound was composed. Although the standard is now entirely different, the fact that there are still 480 grains in the ounce tray and the ounce apothecaries' weight carries us back to the time of the Concord, and shows us how the word grain came to be used.

NORWAY AND SOUTH PARIS

NORWAY.

Miss Doris Klein, who had the misfortune to freeze both feet while skating on Winter St. last week, has so far recovered as to walk about unaided in her home.
The Sacred Benefit Concert billed for the Opera House last Sunday afternoon was postponed on account of the storm. A delightful time was had at the sociable held at Congreg Hall last Friday evening. The juniors of Norway High School seem to know just how to entertain and do it up good. They played games, had a grand march and danced at the barn dance. Refreshments at Stone's drug store were served at intermission. B. G. Kimball acted as floor manager with Donald J. Whitney as assistant. The class realized a neat sum from the evening's sport.
Miss Mildred Scribner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvan Scribner met with a painful accident in the shoe factory stitching room, Saturday. While working on the tying up machine the needle passed through the end of one finger, causing a troublesome wound.
Israel Klein returned to Athol, N. H., Tuesday after several days visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Klein.
The big snow storm is still the chief topic under discussion. Manager Howard Young succeeded in keeping the electricies running Sunday and Monday. Few trips were made but when a blockade occurred, teams were quickly furnished to transfer the passengers. The churches had a light attendance especially Sunday evening. Evangelist Corbett, now holding revival meetings in the Methodist church postponed his special sermon until next Sunday evening.
Orin Willes is back in the shoe factory after being laid up a week by a jambed finger.
Mrs. George W. Russell passed away Jan. 13 in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ada A. Libby, wife of Frank A. Libby who is living in the Russell homestead at the Falls. The deceased was formerly Phoebe E. Green of Westbrook, born July 4, 1829. After her marriage she moved to Norway where Mr. Russell carried on an extensive shoe and handle business not far from the present electric power station. The funeral services were held at her late home Sunday afternoon and Rev. B. S. Hildout of the Congregational church offered words of comfort to the relatives. Interment in Pine Grove cemetery. A daughter, Mrs. Frank Libby, two sons, Charles E. Russell of Norway and Herbert L. Russell of Oswego, N. Y. remain to mourn the loss of a kind mother and faithful counselor.
A large delegation from Painesville, Minn. attended the Ladies' and Pythian Sisters attended the Ladies' night entertainment given by Hamlin Lodge, K. of P., at South Paris last Saturday evening. All report a good time.

Rev. B. S. Hildout, chairman of the arrangements for the coming Congregational State Conference states that the meeting will be held this year the first week in May with the Cumberland Mills church. Perhaps the Norway Society may have the opportunity of entertaining the conference in 1910.

Business at the novelty mill is exceptionally good. The company lately finished an order for several million buttons that will be covered with cloth and sent to the four corners of the globe, wherever American clothing is worn.

The advance sale indicates a large Norway delegation to the "Merry Widow" in the Empire theatre, Lewiston. Good seats can be secured at the Stone drug store, Norway.

Hill's Company occupied the boards at Norway Opera House Monday and Tuesday evenings. They presented high class vaudeville, moving pictures and illustrated songs. The plays, a comedy sketch team furnished considerable entertainment as did Billy Evans, with a black face musical turn. The patronage was good, considering the bad weather.

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church serve a supper at their vestry this Thursday evening.

The Seneca Club was entertained Monday of last week by Mrs. F. A. Taylor and next Monday will be entertained by Mrs. F. A. Skurffeldt.

Traveling to the last traveling, some of the village schools did not begin Monday until the afternoon session.

Tuesday evening, Jan. 19th, is the date set for the famous Men's Supper at the Congregationalist church. It only comes once a year.

A petition is being circulated here to have Henry Black elected to filling for a term of years. It is a pretty well established fact that the constant taking which has been done on the track for years has had its effect and now something must be done before the old time sport can be enjoyed as formerly.

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SOUTH PARIS.

Clyde T. Hubbard has entered the office of W. L. Gray to study law.
Owing to the storm the attendance at the Universalist parish meeting Tuesday evening of last week was rather small. Those who did go, however, enjoyed a very pleasant evening. The reports of the various officers showed the church to be in the best condition that it has ever been since it was built and all present were very optimistic about the future. After the business was transacted refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The following officers were elected:
Moderator—Harold T. Thayer.
Clerk—Winslow C. Thayer.
Treasurer—A. L. Holmes.
Trustees—J. A. Kenney, S. E. Tucker, A. D. Park.
Collector—S. E. Tucker.
Music Committee—Annie Fletcher, Lillian Shaw.
County Attorney Parker of Rumford was in town Friday.

Little Master, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Ordway is recovering nicely from the operation performed on her for throat troubles by Dr. King, Monday of last week.
Perkins Theatre Special will be run to Lewiston on the evening of Monday Jan. 25th to "The Merry Widow," instead of Friday, Jan. 22 to "The Thief" as was first advertised. No doubt the change is a good one, for a company with a record of one year in New York and 15 weeks in Boston ought to be the real thing.

E. N. Haskell had important business in Denmark this week. He left for that town early Monday morning.

Mr. Mica Lodge will work the first degree this Thursday evening and have invited West Paris Lodge to work the second degree for them next Thursday evening or on some other convenient date in the near future.

Donald S. Briggs, who has been in the west for some time, has returned to his home in this village. The dancing portion of our population are looking forward to the Clerk's Ball at Norway, Feb. 2nd, with as much enthusiasm as ever. It goes without doubt the event of the season.

The petition which is to be presented to the legislature for an amendment to our corporation charter to enable us to establish a water system, was circulated by some of the members of the water committee last week. It is hardly necessary to say that they found no difficulty in securing signatures.

The Ladies' What Club was entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. G. Littlefield, Mrs. C. W. Bowler assisting Mrs. Littlefield as hostess. The next meeting will be Friday, Jan. 20th, with Mrs. Wirt Stanley, who will be assisted in entertaining by Mrs. H. E. Wilson. The following ladies make up the club: Mrs. W. L. Gray, Mrs. D. M. Stewart, Mrs. P. E. Hathaway, Mrs. William Motley, Mrs. W. O. Freshingham, Mrs. H. G. Fletcher, Mrs. H. E. Wilson, Mrs. Wirt Stanley, Mrs. J. G. Littlefield, Mrs. George Eastman, Mrs. Geo. C. Fernald, Mrs. C. W. Bowler, Mrs. J. D. Haynes, Mrs. A. C. Wheeler, Mrs. John Scott, and Mrs. Fred N. Wright.

Miss Eva E. Walker visited her grandmother in East Brownfield last week and also attended the Haskell Jewett wedding in Denmark Tuesday, being a very intimate friend of Miss Haskell's.

Miss Ruby Clark sang at the Methodist church in Bethel last Sunday.

There was no half way business about our snow storm of last Sunday. It snowed hard nearly all day and the result was 15 to 20 inches of very light snow. These people who are always telling us, "it will have to moderate before it can snow" have nothing to say about this storm, and anyone who was out in the middle of the day knows that there was very little difference in the temperature at noon and in the evening.

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Normal Institution by Rev. H. O. Thayer of New York, a former Paris boy and student of the school, is of much value and much appreciated. The officers elected are as follows:
President—James S. Wright.
Vice-President—J. H. Bean.
Secretary and Treasurer—N. D. Bolster.
Directors—Alton C. Wheeler, J. H. Bean, N. G. Elder, Alice B. Knight.
The spot is the narrowness from Market Square to the Methodist church was so deep Monday that it was necessary for the Norway & Paris Street Railway Co. to have it hauled off. It is the first storm for a long time when this has been necessary.

Haskell—Jewett.
On Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents in Denmark, occurred the marriage of Miss Florence M. Jewett of that place and Mr. Edwin N. Haskell of South Paris. Miss Jewett is no stranger to South Paris people. For several years she held the position of assistant teacher in our high school and during that time she was very popular and made a large circle of friends. She is a member of the Seneca Club and was an active worker in the various organizations of the Congregationalist church. That she is to make our village her future home is a source of much pleasure to all who know her. Mr. Haskell, as is well known, is the junior member of the firm of N. Haydock, Dolster and Co. Upright and honorable in all his dealings he has long been looked upon as one of our most popular and successful business men. He is a member of the Congregationalist church and also of the Mt. Mica Lodge of Odd Fellows. For several years he has served as clerk for South Paris Village Corporation. It is hardly necessary to say that they have the best wishes of a large number of friends, for people of his character and popularity are assured that their future happiness is the sincere wish of all who have the pleasure of their acquaintance.

In Beautiful Sepulcher.
The last resting place of the great Norwegian composer, Edward Grieg, is one of the most beautiful in its natural surroundings that could be imagined. By the side of a lake, at the extremity of a fjord, close to the composition's native town of Bergen, there is a natural grotto formed in the solid rock, which rises precipitously from the water's edge. Here the bones of the famous musician are buried, and as the grotto is only accessible from the lake, the funeral cortege will have to make the journey by water.

Fresh Air for Complexion.
Tell a young woman that fresh air is good for her health and she may not take the trouble to try to have as much of it as possible, but tell her that it is good for her complexion and she will sleep on the roof rather than forego the pleasure of it. And that is just what it is good for as much as anything else, for the complexion is the outward sign of good running order of things within.

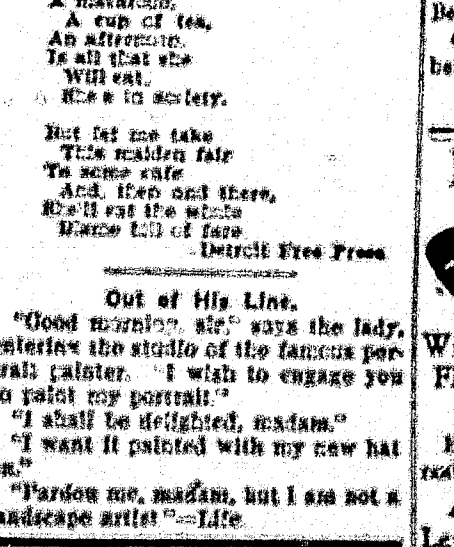
Afraid of the Game.
Hyker—I attended a successful sleight-of-hand performance last night.
Hyker—Co?
Hyker—Yes I lent the conjurer a counterfeit dollar and he gave me back a good one.

In and Out of Society.
A marriage.
A cup of tea.
An afternoon.
Is all that she will eat.
It's a mystery.

But let me take this maiden fair to some cafe.
And then and there, when I see the white lace lid of fate.
—Detroit Free Press

Out of His Line.
"Good morning, sir," says the lady, entering the studio of the famous portrait painter. "I wish to engage you to paint my portrait."
"I shall be delighted, madam."
"I want it painted with my new hat on."
"Pardon me, madam, but I am not a landscape artist!"—Life

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West Bethel,	4:35	8:55	3:38
BETHEL,	4:40	9:01	3:45
Locke's Mills,		9:17	3:54
Bryant's Pond,	5:05	9:30	4:03
South Paris,	5:26	9:50	4:33
Lewiston, arrive	6:40	10:55	5:35
Portland,	7:30	11:45	6:30

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Stations.	No. 3 Daily A.M.	No. 5 Ex. Sun. P.M.	No. 1 Daily P.M.
Portland, leave	8:05	1:30	7:00
Lewiston,	8:50	2:15	7:50
South Paris,	9:50	3:16	8:47
Bryant's Pond,	10:18	4:03	9:18
Locke's Mills,	10:26	4:15	9:26
BETHEL,	10:35	4:25	9:37
West Bethel,	10:42	4:35	9:46
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UNCLE SAM NOW TURNS CARPENTER.

Will Build Houses to Shelter the Sufferers in Italy.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Secretary Newberry was at his desk the larger part of today completing, as fast as possible, the general administration program of sending to Italy building material for the construction of a large number of small houses to shelter earthquake sufferers. All red tape has been waived so that vessels may be sent off at the earliest possible moment with their loads of material. Having approved the general outline to be followed, Secretary Newberry has turned over to Paymaster John A. Mudd, in charge of the New York navy pay office, all the details of the work.

The first vessel to be loaded will be the *Eva* which has been chartered for the trip and which probably will be at the dock in New York tomorrow morning. It is estimated that she will hold enough material for about 500 houses. Each of the vessels sent will contain material, including proper sizes of lumber, nails and glass for the complete construction of a certain number of houses. She will be ready to sail, it is expected, by Thursday or Friday. Besides building material, the *Eva* will have on board four or five "loss" carpenters and an Italian carpenter interpreter who will have charge of construction gangs. Each of the subsequent vessels sent will take carpenters with them.

Competition will not be done away with in the buying, although bids are being obtained by telephone rather than by the slower method of correspondence. The material will be bought, it was said today, wherever it can be got quickly and at the lowest figure. Within three weeks it is expected to have all the vessels loaded and on their way to Italy. Besides the *Eva* four or five other vessels will be chartered for the government intends to send material for from 2500 to 3000 houses.

New York, Jan. 17.—Loaded with lumber and materials sufficient to construct 500 houses to shelter the homeless in stricken Messina, the steamer *Eva* will sail from the Brooklyn navy yard dock tomorrow after noon for Italy.

Within two hours of the receipt on Saturday of the orders from Washington, given at President Roosevelt's instance, to purchase, load and ship building supplies to the devastated districts, Pay Inspector J. A. Mudd, the navy purchasing and disbursing officer here, had chartered to and begun loading John's, beam, keels, bolts, window glass, nails, and saws, were assembled and rapidly loaded and today Inspector Mudd announced that the *Eva* would probably weigh anchor Monday.

The houses to be constructed will be fifteen feet by twenty and every second house will be divided by a partition into two rooms. All tools necessary for erecting the houses go with the materials, so that the relief may be as speedy as possible. By the end of the week Inspector Mudd expects to have two more vessels carrying building materials for the remaining 2500 houses provided for by the congressional appropriation of \$20,000,000 on sale for Messina.

MEXICO AND RIDLONVILLE.

The Week's News as Gathered by our Special Correspondent

The officers of the N. E. O. P. for the coming year were installed last Wednesday evening by Mrs. Russell, those filling the offices being:

Mr. F. A. Perkins—Warden.
Augusta Richards—Vice Warden.
H. C. Winslow—Financial Sec.
Alden Goodrich—Treas.
Bertha Smith—Sec.
Mrs. D. E. Dickey—Chaplain.
Mr. Wood—Guide.
Howard Vaughn—Guard.
Dr. R. O. White—Sentinel.
Dr. O. L. Hanson—Past Junior Warden.

After the business meeting a social time was enjoyed and ice cream, cake and coffee served.

Baleh & Dorr have finished the six room house which they have been engaged upon for Mrs. Mary Gleason and a family expect to move into it this week.

Miss Beulah Beal went to Frye Friday night to spend the week end with relatives.

Basil Gleason, who has been laid up for several weeks by an injured limb, was able to attend school Monday.

Mrs. Herbert Wakefield and daughter of Bath, are the guests of her sister, Mrs. Everett Smart for some time.

On Thursday evening at the Congregational church, the Mission Study class will resume their meetings for a term of eight weeks. The book "The Moslem World" will be taken up for study and promises to be most interesting.

In spite of the storm of Sunday evening there was a good attendance at the Congregational church to hear the interesting talk upon the Life of Joseph, illustrated with stereopticon views. In two weeks, January 31st, it being C. E. Mission Sunday, Mr. Fisher plans to give a lecture on Japan, in the evening with about sixty-seven colored views of Japan, which will be most interesting. Next Sunday morning Rev. J. G. Fisher will speak on the subject "Child Labor in America."

William Hall went to Lewiston Monday morning, where he intends to work carpentering upon a large building there.

The four months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Danville Knox is quite ill. The Sunshine Club met Saturday afternoon at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Fisher for the election of officers. A very pleasant afternoon was spent in talking up plans for future work, some of which the public will be invited to enjoy. The following officers were chosen: Matron President—Mrs. W. N. Hodgdon; Vice Presidents, Mrs. Arthur Preker, Miss Silvia Kelley, Miss Elizabeth Merriman; Secretary, Miss Winnie Carver; Treasurer, Miss Margaret McGrath; Chairman of Flowers Com., Mrs. Carl Jordan; Calling Com., Mabel Foye; Entertainment Com., Mrs. Arthur Preker. The next meeting will be held with the President, Mrs. W. N. Hodgdon, Saturday, January 20th.

Miss Edith Vandenberg returned Saturday from Lewiston accompanied by her mother, who has been at the Lewiston Hospital for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holt were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Whitman on Sunday.

Miss Augusta Richards has finished work at the Packard Block and is working for W. S. Crommett in the store.

Mrs. Harriette Crommett, who has been the guest of her son, W. S. Crommett for several weeks, left this week for South Paris to visit a friend there.

Miss Mina Moros of Carthage, who has been the guest of Mrs. D. B. Swift for several days, left Friday for Dixfield, where she has a position with Mrs. Frank Brown.

The Knights of King Arthur held their regular meeting Monday evening at the church and the officers were installed by Rev. J. G. Fisher, the Merlin. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

King—Willie Manley.
Senechal—Oscar Davis.
Heralds—Earl Ellsworth, Lacey Judkins.

Constable—Peter Merriman.
Sentinel—Phillip Clifford.
Knight of Exchequer—Hugh Haines.
Chamberlains—James Kiersted, Clarence Packard, Hartley Roberts, Merle Vescoff, Fred Fish, Clarence Dodd, Robert Wyman.

Chancellors—Earl Crommett, Timothy Bonney, Leon Parsons.
Baronet—W. H. McKennie.
Merlin—Rev. James G. Fisher.

Miss Gladys Bonney, who has been ill of tonsillitis, was able to return to school this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Packard are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Arcene Gleason for several days.

Mrs. J. G. Stockbridge of Everett, Mass., is the guest of Mrs. L. H. Reed for some time.

Clifford Small is confined at home by the chicken pox.

On Thursday, Jan. 14, occurred the death of Mrs. Celina Robiehard at her home in Mexico, after a long illness of eighteen years of consumption. The funeral was held Saturday morning at the St. Jean Baptiste church. She leaves a husband and five children, who mourn her loss.

Last week about forty invitations were given out for a birthday party in honor of the fifteenth birthday of Leon M. Parsons, which was celebrated at his home on Saturday evening, nearly all being present to enjoy an evening of games and fun. The great number of gifts given by his young friends testified to the esteem in which Leon is held by all. Sandwiches, cake and lemonade was served and all left at a late hour after a fine time and wishing the young host many happy returns of the day.

Mr. Daniel Spaulding, who is suffering from a cancer in his mouth, is being treated by Dr. McCarty, instead of going to Portland as he first intended. He had the first operation Saturday.

Miss Lucile Wells is quite ill, suffering at neuritis.

The Laurel Club was entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Louis Small on Main St. The entertainment of the afternoon was a guessing contest of the different things to be found on one cent, the first prize being won by Mrs. T. M. Stevens and the consolation prize by Mrs. Arthur Johnson. Scotch scones, chocolate and confectionery were served. The next meeting will be held next week with Mrs. T. M. Stevens and each lady will represent some flower.

Mrs. Thomas Penley and Mrs. Sam Swift are spending the week in Lewiston.

The supper and social given by the men of the Baptist church last Friday evening was well patronized in spite of the severe weather, and a good time was realized.

Mrs. Elizabeth M. Demond and Miss Myra P. Bennett were in Lewiston Saturday of last week.

Miss Susan Hutchins, the teacher here, was called to her home in Bethel last Friday on account of the illness of her mother, who was obliged to submit to a surgical operation.

On account of the storm Sunday, there was no prayer meeting in the evening.

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Very Much So.

"I understand our talented friend met with reverses after he went on the stage as an acrobat."

"Decidedly. He had to stand on his head."

Human Nature's Weaknesses.

"I don't mind Mrs. Gleason making fun of the way I talk," said Mrs. Eppeling, forgivingly. "It's only as we go."

"We've all got our little peculiarities and idiosyncrasies."—Chicago Tribune.

WELDONVILLE.

There will be special meetings held at the church here on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week.

John Hawes was in Orlin last Saturday.

The M. E. church met last Wednesday afternoon with Mr. Hanson P. Staples and quite a lot of sewing was accomplished. It is their plan to meet every Wednesday afternoon and sew for the fair that they plan to have sometime this winter.

Miss Grace Paine was in Lewiston last Saturday.

CANTON HAPPENINGS.

As Observed and Told by the Citizen Reporter.

The Universalist Circle met with Mrs. A. A. Eastman last Thursday.

Mabel E. Carver has returned from her home at Winthrop and is assisting her sister, Mrs. Leslie Strout.

Daniel Dyer of Riley was in town Saturday.

Mrs. David Freeman is quite ill.

Mrs. Viola Grover of Andover is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Darrington.

Miss Helen Moore of Boston is a guest of Mrs. E. D. Waterhouse.

Mrs. J. W. Bicknell, Mrs. A. H. Ray and Mrs. S. B. Ellis were in Lewiston Saturday.

Mrs. John Ellis has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Edith Lewis of Portland, who is in failing health.

J. Clyde Bicknell visited at Winthrop over the Sabbath.

The Dixie Fire Company held their annual meeting Thursday evening and elected the following officers: Foreman, C. F. Oldham; 1st Asst., B. E. Patterson; 2nd Asst., E. K. Hollis; Clerk and Treasurer, O. M. Richardson.

W. H. Bailey has been visiting at Hamford.

Kathryn Wording was at home over Sunday.

The recent rains filled up many of the wells in town.

Miss Card is at work for Mrs. G. H. Johnson.

The Lucky Friday Club will hold their next meeting with Mrs. Geo. Childs.

James Davis is improving under the care of Dr. E. G. Abbott of Portland and will soon be able to return home.

A large delegation from North Jay Canton Grange, in the forenoon the following officers were installed by the Master of No. Jay Grange, E. V. Thompson, assisted by C. Curtis Foster and Mrs. S. B. Farnum: Master, C. E. Richardson; Overseer, A. A. Alvey; Lecturer, G. P. Sanders; Steward, P. C. Barker; Asst. Steward, Paul Fuller; Chap., John Maxwell; Treas., C. W. Walker; Sec., Mrs. C. W. Walker; G. K., Albert Barker; Ceres, Mrs. C. E. Richardson; Pomona, Mrs. P. C. Barker; Flora, Mrs. G. H. Strout; L. A. S., Jennie Adams; Worthy Master appointed as Librarian, Florence Childs; Organist, Mrs. S. B. Ellis; Capt. of degree staff, C. E. Mendall; Relief committee, Mr. and Mrs. John Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Barker and Mr. and Mrs. John Dalley. A good literary and musical program was given in the afternoon and an interesting paper on "Commercial Fertilizer" by F. E. Adkins. Remarks were made by Henry Carlin of Gloucester, Dr. A. L. Stanwood of Hamford and members of No. Jay and Canton Granges. The third and fourth degrees will be conferred at the next meeting.

Mrs. Nettie Foller of Auburn recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Ellis.

Miss Lucy Newman has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Georgia Blanchard and family.

Mrs. John Dority is at the C. M. G. hospital for treatment.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Johnson is ill and has been under the care of a trained nurse.

The officers of Evergreen Chapter, O. E. S. will be installed the evening of Jan. 20th.

Mrs. Frank Carver has returned to her home in Winthrop.

The Dixie Band will give a concert and dance at the Opera House this Thursday evening. Mrs. Wynifred Staples Smith the favorite vocalist, will assist in the entertainment. A fine supper will be served.

A. R. Dear of Lewiston, a former townsman was admitted to the C. M. G. hospital last week for treatment.

Rebecca Childs of Hartford, who is very ill of rheumatic fever, is more comfortable.

An event which will be of interest to Canton people was the marriage on Jan. 10th, of Alta Louise Hutchins, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hutchins of Bangor, Me., formerly of Canton of Matron A. MacLean of that city.

G. P. Towle is again confined to the house by a severe attack of neuritis.

The new back grinder has arrived for the tannery and will be put in operation the first of the week.

Mrs. Charles of the Herald is very ill of pneumonia.

The friends of Geo. Cole of Hamford, a former Canton boy, will be sorry to learn of his misfortune in losing the ends of two fingers.

F. W. Harkett, who is employed as night foreman at the C. M. G. hospital, Hamford is at home laid up with a sprained ankle.

At No. Turner Jan. 12th, occurred the death from pneumonia of Mrs. Malga Dore, nee Dore Averill, at the age of 20 years. She leaves a husband and little son two months old. The funeral services were held Friday in the Union church.

Rafie Hinde and family have moved from Orlinville to Canton Point.

EMERSON'S MEMORY AT FAULT.

Had at Times Almost Entire Lack of Remembrance.

Emerson was a notable sufferer from the vagaries of memory. His biographer relates that he met him one day in Boston, apparently at a loss for something, and asked him where he was going. "To dine," said Emerson, "with a very old and dear friend. I know where she lives, but I hope she won't ask me her name," and then he proceeded to describe her as "the mother of the wife of the young man—the tall man—who speaks so well," and so on, until his interlocutor guessed to whom he was referring.

Even the names of common objects often failed him completely. On one occasion, when he wanted an umbrella, he said: "I can't tell its name, but I can tell its history. Strangers take it away."

This falling of Emerson led to a pathetic scene when he attended Longfellow's funeral, and remarked as he gazed at the coffin: "He was a sweet and beautiful soul; but I have entirely forgotten his name."

GREAT MEN LAY SIDE BY SIDE.

Proof of Philosopher's Words That "Fame is a Bubble."

Before engaging our carriage for a drive in Richmond we especially emphasized our desire for a well-informed driver, as we were strangers in the city. We soon discovered the utter ignorance of the one assigned us, but the climax came at the entrance to Hollywood cemetery.

"You, of course, know where the graves of the presidents are and will drive directly to them?" I mildly suggested.

"President?" he echoed. "What presidents? I didn't know any were buried here."

Testily reminded to learn at once, he stopped a man driving on a load of dirt.

"The president!" he smilingly answered. "Sure. Monroe lies in that direction, Tyler to the left, Jefferson Davis on the right-hand corner, and"—the president of the cigarette factory—

But we hastily drove on.—Bohemian Magazine.

"Yes," and "No."

It is a useful accomplishment to be able to say "no," but it certainly is the essence of amiability to prefer to say "yes" where it is possible. There is something wrong in the man who does not hate himself whenever he is constrained to say "no." And there was a great deal wanting in this born dissembler. He was almost shockingly devoid of weakness; he had not enough of them to be truly polar with humanity; whether you called him a demigod or a demigod, he was at least not altogether one of us, for he was not touched with a feeling of our infirmities. The world's heroes have room for all positive qualities, even those which are disreputable, in the capacious theater of their dispositions. Such can live many lives; while a Thoreau can live but one, and that only with perpetual foresight.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

For Good Speaking Voice.

Don't contract the throat when speaking. Try to keep it free, the cords flexible and easy to manage. Don't forget that it is worth practicing in the privacy of one's room to learn the natural register, the tones in which the voice works best. By these exercises there is not the slightest danger of becoming declamatory. A declamatory style of conversation is a horror, but much will be gained if one tries the experiment of making a tone reach the next room without raising the pitch of the voice. This means deep breathing, chest expansion and head held erect. Without these three it is impossible to have a good speaking voice—a fact worth remembering.

All He Asked.

The father of the girl looked at his caller.

"You are much older than my daughter," he said, "but you are a millionaire, and she seems to want you—so I suppose it's all right."

"Thank you," murmured the caller. "But there's one thing I want you to promise me; the stay-haired father went on."

"And what is that?"

"The old man's tone grew more serious."

"I want you to promise me that if I ever run for office you will carefully refrain from announcing that you intend to vote for me."

The Dregs of a Good Wife.

Her clothes are comely rather than costly, and she makes plain cloth to be velvet by her handsome wearing of it. She is none of our dainty dames, who love to appear in variety of suits every day new—as if a good gown, like a stratagem in war, were to be used but once; but our good wife calls up a ball according to the heel of her husband's estate, and if of high parage, she does not fail to remember what she was by birth, that she for a while what she is by match.—Thomas Fuller.

Home Help.

Small Daughter—It's next school time and I've washed my geography. Cultured Mother—Well, tell me what the lesson is about on 1000 A. D.

Small Daughter—The fall of Africa. Cultured Mother—Yes—er—if you've studied your geography, you careless child, you can tell me just what you read in—New York Weekly.

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East Sumner.

The entertainment given at the Orange hall by the Backfield High School was a decided success. The parts in the court scene of the Merchant of Venice were all well taken, Don. Withington's representation of Shylock being exceptionally fine. The readings were very entertaining, as was also the music by the double quartet. Probably few who heard Eddie Hutchinson's part knew that it was composed by his father, Bert Hutchinson. The entire program was a credit to the teachers, Mr. Peaseley and Mrs. Withington, who have been untiring in their efforts to make it a success. Three of the teachers were present, Mr. Peaseley, Miss Parker and Miss Harlow, also Miss Smith, who takes a deep interest in all things pertaining to the schools and scholars.

George Goss has returned home from New Hampshire, sick of a cold.

Mrs. Abbie Haskell has returned from a long visit in Massachusetts.

Bessie Palmer and Ethel Bonney spent Saturday and Sunday in Portland.

As last Saturday, Jan. 10th was Elroy Russell's birthday, and Sunday was his and Mrs. Russell's wedding anniversary, they invited Rev. S. C. Eaton and family to take tea with them Saturday and a very pleasant evening was spent by them.

Fred S. Palmer has bought a gasoline engine and is doing custom sawing. His object in purchasing the engine was to have it to assist in the farm work.

The heaviest snow storm of the season occurred last Sunday, and the attendance at the churches was small as a consequence.

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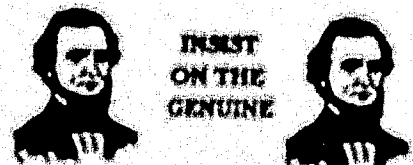
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WEST PARIS.

The Weekly Happenings as Gleaned by Our Special Staff Reporter.

On account of the inability of Mrs. Estlin Crawshaw, Worthy Grand Master, O. E. S. to be present last Thursday evening the public installation of the officers of Granite Chapter was deferred until Thursday evening of next week, Jan. 28th.

Misses Nellie and Louise Marshall have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Jarvis M. Thayer on Paris Hill.

Rev. Stanley Spear of Dexter will exchange pulpits with Rev. T. S. Macdonald at this place the last Sunday in this month, Jan. 31. Rev. Mr. Spear will preach the morning sermon at the Universalist church with special reference to the work of the Senior Y. P. C. U., and the young people will have charge of the music. In the evening there will be a union temperance service at the Baptist church under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.

Miss Jennie Pierce of New York recently was the guest of Mrs. Elva E. Locke and Mrs. J. L. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tucker of Colebrook, N. H. are visiting their daughter, Mrs. S. T. White. A few months ago Mr. Tucker had the misfortune to lose his farm buildings by fire.

The singing school under the leadership of Rev. D. R. Ford is progressing and is nearing the close of the term. The last evening which will be Feb. 3rd, the public will be invited to attend and listen to the music.

NORTH BUCKFIELD.

Althea Stethon is boarding at Buckfield while attending school.

Luzie Bonney spent Sunday in Turner, at the home of Ralph Russell. Graver Keene cut his foot quite badly while at work in the woods, last Saturday.

Mr. N. E. Bessy and sons spent Friday and Saturday with his sister, Mrs. C. A. Bonney in Sumner.

M. A. Sturtevant has returned to his school in Hanover, N. H.

The Ladies' Circle of Mountain Grange met with Mrs. A. P. Mason, Jan. 15th for election of officers.

Dr. B. Jack has been sick. He has serious trouble with his eyes.

Miss Gertrude Warren is working for Mrs. Jennie Head.

Mr. Fred Harlow has gone to Floral Park, N. Y., where he spends a part of each year in the employ of John Lewis Childs.

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And—We find a pretty wide-awake

DIXFIELD ITEMS.

The Happenings of the Week as gathered by the Citizen Reporter.

A very pleasant affair was that of the reception given Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Gaskin Thursday evening of last week at the Church Aid rooms. The rooms were wonderfully transformed by the addition of screens, art squares and easy chairs. The committee in charge were Mrs. Decker, Mrs. Greenleaf, Mrs. Pease, Mrs. Susan Marsh and Mrs. Ella Russell. After the usual greetings the evening was devoted to story telling, sociability, readings, selections by Miss Lizzie Russell and Miss Polard. Refreshments of assorted cake and fruit punch were served. The evening was much enjoyed by all present.

Miss Verdie Ludden was in Lewiston Thursday evening to attend the lecture of Elbert Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gammon went to Washington this week to remain for the winter.

Rev. W. E. Gaskin officiated at the funeral service of Mrs. Kate Severy, Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Severy was the widow of the late Warren Severy whose death occurred last spring. She had made her home with her nephew, Mr. Alvah Waite since her husband's death. Her age was about 80 years.

George Stowell, who has been ill of pneumonia the past few weeks is able to be out. He spent Thursday at the home of W. H. Small.

A public supper given this Thursday evening by the ladies of the Universalist Society. The committee in charge are Mrs. J. M. Holland, Mrs. Mabel Decker, Mrs. Mary Greenleaf.

The storm of Sunday was the most severe of any this season. About fourteen inches of snow fell during the day. The wind blowing hard nearly all night caused many drifts, which made work for many, clearing the streets and walks Monday.

Miss Sarah Dolloff was a guest of her niece, Mrs. David Atkins Monday night.

The agent of the Forster Estate will send teams out Monday to take their help to the mill.

Several from here attended the New Century Pomona Grange at West Fern, Wednesday of last week.

Mr. Arthur Stowell, who is at work in Byron, was in town Tuesday evening to attend the meeting of King Hiram Lodge, F. & A. M.

The Auxiliary of the F. B. Society met Thursday of last week with Mrs. George Walters.

The Junior Endeavor of the F. B. Society met Wednesday of last week at the home of W. H. Small.

Mrs. Will W. Waite, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. O. Moulton at No. Jay, returned home Wednesday of last week.

SENTENCE SERMONS.

Hearts of gold do not take gold to heart.

Serving man is a good way of seeking God.

Envy is the tribute that sloth pays to industry.

Only the large hearted are fit to work with the little ones.

The best prayers are the ones that take longest to learn.

You can never fight a man's foe unless you are his friend.

If you would shine as the stars begin with a little sunshine now.

She has no power over the life when it has no partners in the heart.

Keeping faith with folks is a good way of cultivating faith in them.

It's no use denying sin's service when you're enjoying its salary.

Bearing hatred is a good deal like carrying vitriol in a sash or this back.

Nothing indicates the wise man better than the smart things he doesn't say.

Flowers of happiness never bloom long when we plant them in our own gardens.

You cannot tell much about a man's mental ability by the way he blows his own horn.

People who are afraid of being called cranks always let some one win them up.

It will take more than arguing the devil out of existence to eliminate evil from the world.—Chicago Tribune.

Life's Lesson.

Practical Mother—My daughter, now that you are engaged to be married, you should endeavor to become more familiar with the details of housekeeping.

Daughter—That's just what I'm doing. I'm learning to cook, wash, and iron.

Mother—That's all right, but you should also learn to sew.

Daughter—Yes, mother, I'm learning to sew.

Mother—That's all right, but you should also learn to knit.

Daughter—Yes, mother, I'm learning to knit.

Mother—That's all right, but you should also learn to crochet.

Daughter—Yes, mother, I'm learning to crochet.

Mother—That's all right, but you should also learn to embroider.

Daughter—Yes, mother, I'm learning to embroider.

Mother—That's all right, but you should also learn to make lace.

Daughter—Yes, mother, I'm learning to make lace.

Mother—That's all right, but you should also learn to darn.

Daughter—Yes, mother, I'm learning to darn.

Mother—That's all right, but you should also learn to mend.

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BORROWED THOUGHTS FROM OUR BROTHER EDITORS.

Maine and the Pasadena Roses. (Kennebec Journal.)

While cold waves and thaws are the alternating features of our January program here in Maine, they are enjoying a different kind of life in Southern California, and a copy of the Los Angeles Express which comes to our office gives us an interesting, not to say alluring, account of the 20th annual Tournament of Roses with which Pasadena welcomed in the New Year. The chief feature of the day was a grand floral parade with the local hotels, places of business, secret societies, organizations, etc., represented by trolley-bus, barges and floats, together with buckboards and autos filled with maidens and roses, music and merriment.

In Pasadena, as in all other parts of California, there are many former Maine people, and like Maine people everywhere, they are intensely loyal to the Pine Tree State. Consequently, it is not surprising that one of the prominent floats of the procession was that entered by the Pasadena Association of Maine People. It was designed to represent the seal of the State of Maine and is described as follows:

"The color scheme was dark green and white, with red touches here and there to give it warmth and life. The running gear was completely concealed under masses of cypress boughs which formed a sort of cushion on which the float rested. In the center of the float was a large pine tree with a farmer on one side and a sailor on the other. The ground was covered with cotton piled in mounds and sprinkled with powdered substance in imitation of snow. Below was the Latin word 'Dirigo' worked in red varnishes. The word 'Maine' was also spelled out in the same flower on both sides of the float."

It is worth noting that among all the scores of entries the Maine float was awarded the third prize by the judges, the first prize being won by the Pennsylvania float and the second by the Pasadena Odd Fellows. Besides Maine and Pennsylvania the only other states represented by floats were New York and Ohio, while the former residents of Canada also designed and entered a float. The columns devoted to the account of the parade festival and tournament give the snowboard reader here in Maine a conception of the vast extent of this country of ours, and is also apt to inspire something resembling envy of those who are to spend January in a land of roses.

Not So Mad After All. (Portland Express.)

One feature of the Presidential Congressional race has not been given general publicity. Back in the homes of the people the warfare that has been carried on, that is still echoing through the papers, seems to be more bitter than a lawsuit over a live fence, or the lamentations of a man who has been beaten in a horse race. The common people take their quarrels, when they are unfortunate enough to have any, seriously, and they cannot fancy a matter so far reaching as the differences between our great statesmen as being anything but serious. But here is the other side of the picture. Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt gave a dinner to numerous young people the other night. It was the day the Presidential debate was administered by the House. The young people, it should be explained, ranged in age from real youth to three score and ten. There was a dance in the East Room for Miss Ethel Roosevelt following the dinner. The guest of the evening was Speaker Cannon. All day long the waves of indignation had rolled about the Speaker's chair, because of green had been abused, and it did not mean to stand for it. Speeches of latitudes had been spoken and the newspaper reporters had worked hard all day to get to the perplexing public a just and fair account of all the indignation that Congress had felt, and all the explosive anger which the President felt, a part of which had been due to the fact that a letter he had written Mr. Cannon months before had been suppressed. From the midst of this turmoil Mr. Cannon had to try to get to the dinner. The Congress was so intent upon showing how much it counted the Presidential action that it held its session late. Mr. Cannon stood in the task of presiding, and sent a messenger to telephone to his home to have his evening clothes brought to the Capitol. When he left the session of indignation and he was over the Speaker's husband to the private room in the Capitol, dressed in his attendance, and proceeded to do his best with his dinner guests, using his own words, and saying to the young people, "I am not so mad after all."

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of furniture. Dressed in haste, he jumped into a carriage and was rapidly driven to the other end of Pennsylvania avenue, where he was greeted with much amiability and enjoyed a perfectly delightful evening with the other young people who were present. And while he was about it the people all over America were devouring the evening papers and commenting upon the possible result of all this antagonism between the President and Congress.

Ex-Governor Cobb. (Farmington Chronicle.)

The retirement of Governor Cobb to private life last week brought to a close an administration of signal ability and faithfulness. Under it the State has prospered in its finances and made good progress in the solution of many problems of local and state support of our large enterprises of schools, roads and dependents. Best of all, the administration will stand out as expressing the wish of the large majority of our best citizens to make the State self-respecting upon the enforcement of its prohibitory law. As to the law itself, whether wise or unwise, salutary or otherwise, the governor demanded that it be enforced. Time will add to the good estimate of Governor Cobb's administration.

The Coming of The Comet. (Boston Transcript.)

Extensive preparations are being made by Harvard astronomers for the studying and photographing of the Halley comet, which after an absence of 75 years, will be visible through a powerful telescope some time this winter.

The German government has offered a prize to the scientist who determines its exact position in the sky. At Cambridge plans are being made to photograph the sky every night. Pictures will also be taken at the Harvard observatory in South America, where apparatus is being used to photograph the Morehouse comet.

The comet has been named after Halley because he predicted that it would appear in the year 1758 and, though he had been dead 15 years, the comet did appear as he foretold. The history of the world indicates that this comet appeared at the following dates: B. C. 37 and 12, and A. D. 66, 141, 218, 293, 373, 451, 530, 608, 684, 760, 837, 912, 989, 1066, 1145, 1222, 1301, 1378, 1456, 1531, 1612, 1758.

Astronomers say that the comet is moving toward the earth at the rate of 500 miles a minute, over an elongated orbit 2,500,000,000 miles from the sun. The comet may only appear faintly, but if so it will do contrary to its past history. By the middle of the summer it is predicted that it will be possible to see it with a small telescope. About May 15, 1910, it will be within 25,000,000 miles across the sky.

The search for the planet which is believed to be beyond Neptune is being actively pursued at the Harvard astronomical observatory by Prof. William H. Pickering and his assistants. The search is being made through a careful study of a number of excellent photographs of the region where the planet is supposed to be, taken by Rev. Joel H. Metcalf, a Taunton clergyman, who is interested in astronomical study.

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The Cause of Vernal Verdancy. The kindergarten teacher had been telling her pupils about the seasons and the colors that were characteristic of each.

"Now," said she, "if you were trying to represent spring, which of the colored chalks would you use?" "Green," responded little Pat, promptly.

"Why?" he was asked. "Cause St. Patrick's day comes in spring."

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